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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES GYPSUM
COMPANY,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**3M INNOVATIVE PROPERTIES
COMPANY and
3M COMPANY,**

Defendants.

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Pursuant to Rule 3.4 of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, Plaintiff provides the following information to be used by the Clerk of the Court for the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois as required by 35 U.S.C. § 290.

1. Names and Addresses of Parties

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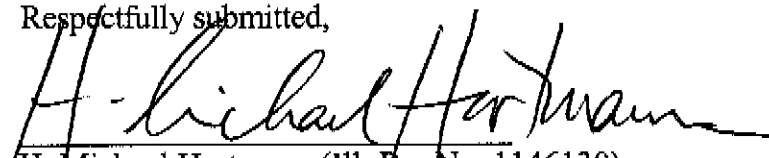
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